



Castleford City Council Agenda

Minutes – Regular Meeting

Date: May 12 , 2026

Location: 300 Main Street – Castleford, Id

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Lockhart at 700p.m, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. Stacie Darrow, Clerk confirmed a quorum. Council members in attendance: Cliff Lockhart, Jennifer Gray, Che Walker, Terry Edson with Benjamin Medina arriving at 710pm. City employees in attendance: Stacie Darrow, Kristina Scott, Victor Keen, Aaron Easterday. Public in attendance: AJ Gray

Accept or Amend Agenda: Jennifer motions to accept the agenda, Che 2nd, motion passed.

Approve Minutes: Jennifer motions to accept the minutes for a regular meeting held April 14, 2026, Terry 2nd, motion passed.

Approve Minutes: Jennifer motions to accept the minutes for a Special Meeting held April 21, 2026, Terry 2nd, motion passed.

Approve Financials/Accounts Payable for April 15, 2026 thru May 12, 2026: Jennifer motions to approve financial/accounts payables, Terry 2nd. Roll Call Vote: Terry – Aye, Jennifer – Aye, Che – Aye, Benjamin – Aye, motion passed.

Unfinished Business

Review/Discuss - Citizens on Patrol: Jennifer updated council on concerns for past routine break-ins in the city. Cliff recommends contacting Twin Falls County Citizens on Patrol Program for ideas on how to organize a local Citizens on Patrol. Terry reminds council of Neighborhood Watch. Jennifer volunteers to follow up and bring more information back to council. No Action

Review/Discuss - Water Rates Study/IRWA: Stacie updates council that Jeff with IRWA presented to go over numbers with City Hall and Water Department earlier this week. No new information is available at this time for Council or Rates Committee. No action.

Review/Discuss - Interagency Agreement: Cliff briefs the Council on information from the City Attorney in regards to entering into an Interagency Agreement with Castleford Rural Fire District. Informs Council that the Attorney has concerns and recommends to Council that they rescind previous motion of entering into an Interagency Agreement with the Fire Department until such time that more information is available. Ben is recused from voting. Stacie reads email to Council from Attorney. AJ share his knowledge. Council did discuss asking how often we use the Fire Departments equipment each year and what it is used for. Water Department answered questions from the council. Terry voiced his concern about spending money on the City Attorney reviewing the concern due to the costs of the consult. Che motions to rescind entering into any agreement at this time with the Castleford Rural Fire District until such time more information is available, Jennifer 2nd. Roll Call Vote: Terry – Nay, Jennifer – Aye, Che – Aye. Motion passed.

Review/Discuss Proposed Resolution No.169: Interlocal Agreement has been rescinded, No Action.

New Business

Review/Discuss – Water Department Updates: Victor gave update on Water Generator. Information is that it will need service at 500 hours and currently only has 100 hours. Chlorine Generator is being worked on; however, they are having a difficult time finding parts.

They did clean the cell in Chlorine Generator; however, if and when a new cell has to be purchased it is expected that the cost to be at least \$8000. No new instructions from Council for weed maintenance and Che volunteers to do drive arounds with them every 2 weeks. No Actions.

Review/Discuss - Budget FY2027: Kristina provided Council with the 1st draft Budget FY2027. Jennifer motions to have a budget workshop May 27, 2026 7pm, Che 2nd, motions passed.

City Council Discussion for Future Agenda:

Jennifer reminds council she will be gone in July

Public Comment (if applicable): Stacie shared that the awning at City Hall is being replaced by a local making a donation.

Adjournment – Cliff request motion to adjourn. Jennifer motions to adjourn at 8:15pm, Che 2nd, motion passed.

Stacie Darrow, City Clerk

Approved on

